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## EMERGENCY ORDER

Local Emergency Order for Tompkins County:

I, Jason Molino, the County Administrator of Tompkins County, in accordance with a declaration of a State of Emergency issued on March 14, 2020 12 A.M., and pursuant to Section 24 of the New York State Executive Law, do hereby order:

1. Any Tompkins County local laws, rules, regulations or resolutions may be temporarily suspended or modified if compliance with such would prevent, hinder or delay action necessary to cope with the emergency or, if necessary to assist or aid in coping with such disaster.
2. Adherence to the Tompkins County Procurement Policy and/or provisions of the General Municipal Law as they relate to purchasing and procurement is hereby suspended to the extent necessary to add additional work, sites and time to contracts, or to award emergency contracts, including but not limited to, emergency contracts, emergency leases for relocation and support of County operations; emergency contracts for professional services; emergency contracts for commodities, services and technology through any federal programs or other state, regional, local, multi-jurisdictional, or cooperative contracts; required to remedy this emergency situation. In these instances, competitive bidding, or proposals shall not be required and emergency purchases are authorized in the discretion of the County Administrator, or County Purchasing Agent.

This order shall take effect Sunday, March 14, 2020 at 12:00 A.M. by order of the Chief Executive. This order or any part thereof, may also be renewed in (5) five-day increments.

Failure to obey this order is a criminal offense, punishable by law under New York State Executive Law 24(5).

I hereby extend the prescribed Emergency Order dated March 14, 2020, 12:00 A. M. This Emergency Order has been updated/extended. Signed this 9th day of June, 2020 at 12:00 o'clock, in, Tompkins County, New York.

Jason Molino, County Administrator  
(Name)

  
(Signature)

Jessica Verfuss  
(Witness Name)

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(Witness Signature)

Deputy Director  
(Title)

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(Date)